this Bungalow which was partly under the notified civil area and partly outside the civil area, 183 houses/huts came up during the past some time. The matter was considered by the Government in 1986 and it was decided to allow the holder of occupancy right (HOR) to convert an area of 6.41 acres under Survey No. 16 under the management of Defence Estates Officer (DEO) into free hold to enable the HOR to construct pucca houses. No such case has been reported in Kanpur Cantonment.

No Committee has been constituted to determine the lapses on the part of Defence Estates Officer to prevent unauthorised constructions or encroachments in Kanpur Cantonment.

ALLOTMENT OF DEFENCE LANDS IN HYDERABAD

3130. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have allotted land belonging to Defence Ministry at Hyderabad and Secunderabad, recently to private parties;

(b) if so, the names of the beneficiaries and the cost at which the land has been allotted;

(c) what are the reasons for selling this land and whether any public notice was issued in the matter;

(d) whether there are some more applications still pending ; and

(e) what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise in view of reply to (a) above.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise in view of reply to (d) above.

DEBTORS OF ET&T CORPORATION LIMITED

3131. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that ET&T Corporation Limited has a huge number of debtors;

(b) if so, the amount and the details of debtors;

(c) whether it is a fact that huge materials are sold to private companies on credit which has resulted in the present situation; and

(d) if so, what action has been taken by the Corporation to recover the amount and also against the officers who had given this credit?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO) (a) and (b) Total number of Sundry Debtors as on 31-3-1993 was 922 and the amount outstanding was Rs. 194 crores and 71 lakhs. A broad categorisation of debtors is given in the statement (see below).

(c) and (d) Dues from private companies which were outstanding account for 10 per cent of the total outstanding dues. The Corporation extended credit to private companies who were having dealings with the Corporation for a long time. Action has been initiated to recover the outstanding amounts and an amount of Rs. 872.53 lakhs have been recovered so far. 23 criminal-cases/civil cases/winding up petitions have been launched to recover Rs. 240 lakhs (approx.) of outstanding dues. No action has been taken against any officer as yet.

Statement

Periodwise debtors as on 31-3-1993

(Rupees in lakhs)

Period	Government and PSUs	Others	Total
Less than 3 months	571.81	158.49	730.30
More than 3 months but less than 6 months	173.27	102.04	276.31
More than 6 months but less than 1 year	77.92	33.05	110.97
More than 1 year	428.28	404.80	833.08
GRAND TOTAL:	1251.28	698.38	1949.66

AFFAIRS OF ET&T CORPORATION LTD.

3132. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the inventory of Rs. 21 crores accumulated by ET&T is due to the wrong indiscriminate purchases by the Chief Executive during the years 1984 to 1988;

(b) whether the same officer has again been appointed as Chairman-cum-Managing Director during 1991;

(c) if so, whether Government have taken note of the past records of this officer before appointment; and

(d) the reasons for taking such vulnerable decisions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO) : (a) The inventory holding of the ET&T Corporation Limited, as on 31-10-93 was only Rs. 1802.98 lakhs i.e. approximately three months turnover. Out of this, the value of the inventory bought between 1984—88 is Rs. 461.93 lakhs.

(b) to (d) The officer who was Chief Executive during 1984 to 1988 has been appointed as Chairman-cum-Managing Director in February, 1991 on the recommendations of the Public Enterprises Selection Board.

BOOK PROFITS OF ET&T CORPORATION LTD. OVERLOOKED BY CAG

3133. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the ET&T Corporation Limited has shown a book profit during the year 1992-93 and the CAG has also overlooked this aspect at the time of audit; and

(b) if so, what action Government propose to take on this ?